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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

William J. IMOEHL

Application No.: 09/559,749

Filed: 30 June 2000

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A  
FUEL INJECTOR SEAT

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Group Art Unit: 3726

Examiner: Compton, E.

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

☒ Previously submitted:

☒ Please consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on 19 March 2002. (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Enclosed:

☐ Amendment/Reply

☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

☐ Information Disclosure Statement

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Miscellaneous

☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Fees Calculation

(a) RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

☒ \$740.00☐ \$370.00 (for small entity)

(b) Extension of Time

☐ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,390.00	\$695.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$\_\_\_\_\_

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefore.

☒ An extension for three months has already been secured and the fee paid on 19 March 2002.

(c) Other \_\_\_\_\_

**The total fee for this submission: \$ 740.00**

## 4. Fee Payment

☐ Check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ filing fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge **\$740.00** representing the RCE filing fee to our Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

5. Additional papers enclosed:

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
- ☐ Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.

Respectfully submitted,  
**MORGAN, LEWIS & BOCKIUS LLP**

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Dated: 18 April 2002

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